

**RESPONSE AFTER FINAL OFFICE ACTION  
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE  
EXAMINING GROUP 2445  
Docket No.: 1614.1391**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re the Application of:

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Serial No. 10/790,118

Group Art Unit: 2445

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Examiner: MIRZA, ADNAN M

For: INFORMATION PROCESSING METHOD, INFORMATION PROCESSING SYSTEM,  
INFORMATION PROCESSING APPARATUS AND COMPUTER READABLE  
INFORMATION RECORDING MEDIUM

**AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION UNDER 37 CFR 1.116**

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Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed February 3, 2009, and having a period for response set to expire on May 4, 2009 (May 3, 2009 falling on a Sunday).

The following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted. Entry of the claim amendments and reconsideration of the amended claims is respectfully requested, because it is believed that the claim amendments and remarks clarify the patentably distinguishing features of the present invention over the relied upon references to place the application in condition for allowance and pursuant to 37 CFR 1.116 this Amendment complies with 37 CFR 1.114 by filing an RCE.